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Dear Sir/Madam:

We received our monthly statement of deposit account dated May 31, 2005 and noted charges of \$100.00 for S/N 10/047,586 on May 2, 2005. Please be advised that this charge is in error as this client is not one of our clients as well as Laurence C. Begin is not an authorized user on our deposit account.

Please credit our deposit account in the amount of \$100.00.

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Sincerely,

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Sir:

Responsive to the office action mailed on January 25, 2005 (Paper No.
20040118), please amend the application as follows:

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